

Interview Summary	Application No. 09/502,454	Applicant(s) SOEDA, NAOKI	
	Examiner Tianjie Chen	Art Unit 2656	

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

- (1) Tianjie Chen (Primary Examiner, PTO). (3) _____
 (2) James Howard 39,715 (4) _____

Date of Interview: 15 November 2005.

Type: a) ☐ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
 c) ☒ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☒ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
 If Yes, brief description: _____

Claim(s) discussed: 1.


Identification of prior art discussed: JP05-081846 to Takao and US 5,487,160 to Bemis.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Representative asserts that Applicant's switch switches between two printed circuit boards without noise. Bemis's switch switches between two printed circuit boards with noise. Examiner's position: as the switch is installed into Takao's device, since there are two 2a printed circuit boards without noise shown in Fig. 12, the switch would switches between two printed circuit boards without noise.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.


TIANJIE CHEN
PRIMARY EXAMINER

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.

 Examiner's signature, if required